

# **narasimha ashTakam**

shreemad akalanka paripoorNa shashikoTi  
shreedhara manohara saTaapaTalakaanta |  
paalaya krupaalaya bhavaambudhi nimagnam  
daityavarakaala narasimha narasimha || 1 ||

paada kamalaavanata paataki janaanaam  
paataka davaanalaa patatri varaketo |  
bhaavana paraayaNa bhavaarti harayaa maam  
paahi krupayaiva narasimha narasimha || 2 ||

tunga nakha-pankti-daLitaasuravaraasruk  
panka nava kunkuma vipankila mahoraha |  
panDita nidhaana kamalaalaya namaste  
pankaja nishaNNa narasimha narasimha || 3 ||

maulishu vibhooshaNam ivaa maravaraaNaaam  
yogihrudayeshu cha shirassu nigamaanaam |  
raajad aravinda ruchiran padayugan te  
dehi mama moordhni narasimha narasimha || 4 ||

vaarija vilochana mad antima dashaayaam  
klesha vivasheekruta samasta karaNaayaam |  
ehi ramayaa saha sharaNya vihagaanaam  
naatham atiruhya narasimha narasimha || 5 ||

haaTaka kireeTavara haara vanamaalaa  
taararachanaa makara kunDala maNindraihi |  
bhooshitam-ashesha-nilayam tava vapurme  
chetasi chakaastu narasimha narasimha || 6 ||

indu ravi paavaka vilochana ramaayaah  
mandira mahaabhuja lasadvara rathaanga |  
sundara chiraaya ramataan tvayi mano me  
nandita suresha narasimha narasimha || 7 ||

maadhava mukunda madhusoodana muraare  
vaamana narasimha sharaNam bhava naTaanaam |  
kaamada ghruNin nikhila karaNa nayeyam  
kaalam amaresha narasimha narasimha || 8 ||

ashTakam idam sakala paataka bhayaghnam  
kaamadam ashesham duritaamaya ripughnam |  
yah paThati santan ashesham nilayam te  
gacChati padam sa narasimha narasimha || 9 ||